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TO:

State agencies that are contemplating sending contracts for grants to the

Indiana Office of Technology for approval

FROM:

Jim Ehrenberg, General Counsel, Indiana Office of Technology

DATE:

November 1, 2016

RE:

IOT approval of contracts for grants not required if certain language is

included

IOT stipulates that its approval is <u>not</u> required for contracts for **grants** which contain the following or similar language:

Any IT-related products or services that are purchased, used, or maintained through this grant must be compatible with the principles and goals that are contained in the electronic and information technology accessibility standards which have been adopted by the Architectural and Transportation Barriers Compliance Board (a/k/a the United States Access Board) under Section 508 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, 29 U.S.C. § 794d. These standards are listed in Title 36 of the Code of Federal Regulations, Chapter XI, Part 1194.

A copy of this memorandum should be included with contracts for grant as they are processed for state signatures. This stipulation will remain in place until it is revoked by IOT.